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CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Anwar Kazi CEO Mastercare Homehealth Inc 1314 S. King St., Suite 856 Honolulu, HI 96814

Dear Mr. Kazi:

The State Health Planning and Development Agency has evaluated Mastercare Homehealth Inc's Certificate of Need application #21-03A for the acquisition of home health agency services at 4370 Kukui Grove Street, Suite 106, Lihue, HI, at a capital cost of \$11,286.

Pursuant to Title 11, Chapter 186 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), the Agency finds that:

- (a) The proposal is eligible for administrative review as it meets the criterion in HAR 11-186-99.1(b)(4), i.e.: "Any change of ownership, where the change is from one entity to another substantially related entity."
- (b) The applicant, Mastercare Homehealth Inc, has proven by a preponderance of the evidence that its proposal meets the Certificate of Need criteria in HAR 11-186-15(a).
- (c) There is no compelling public interest which will be served by requiring the application to go through the standard review process.

As required under Section 323D-43(b), Hawai'i Revised Statutes (HRS), the Agency concludes and determines that:

- 1. There is a public need for this proposal.
- 2. The cost of this proposal will not be unreasonable in light of the benefits it will provide and its impact on health care costs.

Accordingly, the State Health Planning and Development Agency hereby APPROVES and ISSUES a Certificate of Need to Mastercare Homehealth Inc for the proposal described in Certificate of Need application #21-03A. The maximum capital expenditure allowed under this approval is \$11,286.

Serafin Colmenares, Jr.

Administrator